

**NEW CLAIMS 16-20**

Claims 16-17 depend from claim 5, which has been indicated to be allowable. So claims 16-17 are deemed to be allowable.

Claims 18-20 depend from claim 12, and are deemed patentable for at least the reasons set forth above with respect to claim 12.

**CONCLUSION**

In view of the foregoing explanations, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider and reexamine the present application, allow claims 1-20 and pass the application to issue. In the event that there are any outstanding matters remaining in the present application, the Examiner is invited to contact Kenneth D. Springer (Reg. No. 39,843) at (571) 283.0720 to discuss these matters.

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